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Miscellaneous Shower Held

A miscellaneous shower was held on Friday, evening August 27th in honor of Mrs. W. D. Lee (nee Winnifred Marr). A large number of friends of the bride gathered at the Chinook Hotel. The evening was spent in playing games and singing community songs.

Miss F. Barros and Miss L. Zawasky carried in the basket laden with many useful and beautiful gifts. The bride then thanked all present for the lovely gifts. At the close coffee and lunch was served.

Mrs. Lee of Excel, mother of the groom was present.

25 Wells Now Drilling in Alberta

A total of 25 wells now are being drilled in Alberta, according to the latest report of the Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board of Alberta issued during the week end.

The drilling wells comprise 14 in Turner Valley and 11 in fields elsewhere in the province. The Turner Valley wells include several in township 19, scheduled to be finished by Wartime Oils, Ltd. Dominion government concern.

Alberta oil production is running at 25,612 barrels daily, compared with 27,584 barrels of crude, and 1,186 barrels of natural gasoline from Turner Valley and 509 barrels of crude oil from wells in Alberta outside Turner Valley.

EDMONTON, August 30th, 1943.

The following statement regarding succession duties on the estate of the late Premier William Aberhart was issued by Premier Ernest C. Manning in Edmonton on Friday, August 27th, 1943.

"A certain section of the public and the public press have voiced disapproval of a recent government order-in-council remitting succession duties on the estate of the late Premier William Aberhart.

"The government authorized the remission sincerely believing that such action would be considered right and proper in that Mr. Aberhart's death occurred while serving the high office of premier and, particularly, in view of the fact that circumstances prevented a state funeral being held, the costs of which properly would have been borne by the province.

WILL OF PEOPLE

"However, it is the expressed determination of the government at all times to administer public affairs of the people of the province in accordance with their expressed will.

"Accordingly, in view of the disapproval that has been voiced, the government has cancelled the remission order, and the succession duties on Mr. Aberhart's estate have been paid in full."

The order-in-council remitting duties on Mr. Aberhart's estate was passed in the week of August 16. In part it is said: "whereas William Aberhart was premier of Alberta for seven and a half years, during which time he performed valuable service and since his death occurred while fulfilling his arduous duties as head of the government, the attorney-general recommends that the succession duties of \$2,746 be remitted under provisions of the Treasury Act."

Local News

Born — To Mr. and Mrs. Harry White on Sunday August 29th, in the Hanna Hospital, a son.

No Service will be held in the United Church at 7:30 p. m. when Rev. Mr. French will preach his farewell sermon.

A week from Sunday, September 12th, service will be held in the United Church at 7:30 p. m. when Rev. Mr. French will preach his farewell sermon.

Mrs. W. Milligan and daughter, Mrs. W. Gallagher spent a few days in Calgary, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. Lloyd Robinson visited over Sunday at the home of her daughter Mrs. McKeague of Hanna.

Mr. Geo. Aitken was a Hanna visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wanner and family were Acadia Valley visitors Sunday.

Mrs. V. Lawrence returned from the Hanna hospital on Saturday.

Miss Phyllis Kidd of Marid, Sask., who has been visiting with Miss Emily Zawasky for a few weeks, returned to her home Monday.

Virginia Lee and Beverley Nicholson were Hanna visitors Saturday.

THIS WEEK'S SPECIALS

Post Bran Flakes	per pkt	23c
Liquid Amonia	per pkt	12c
Cattella Spaghetti	per pkt	23c
Ellisons Wheatletts	per pkt	15c
Royal Yeast	two pkts	18c
Cayate Pancake Flour	per pkt	31c
Meadow Sweet Lemon Pie filling	in	17c
Maxwell House Coffee	per lb	49c
Orchard City Peas & Carrots	tin	15c
Raymore Meat Sauce	per bottle	20c

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NATIONAL SELECTIVE
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Extension of Compulsory Employment Transfers.

To Employers and Employees:

THE 6th Compulsory Employment Transfer Order, issued under authority of National Selective Service Civilian Regulations, requires compliance not later than September 8th, 1943. After that date no employer may continue to employ any man covered by this Order, unless under special permit.

The first five Compulsory Transfer Orders listed occupations, and required compliance by all male employees in those occupations if (a) in an age and marital class designated under the Military Call-up, or if (b) 16, 17 or 18 years of age. The Sixth Order repeats all occupations given in the five earlier Orders, and requires all other men from 16 to 40 years of age (both ages inclusive) to become available for transfer to higher priority jobs, by registering at the nearest Employment and Selective Service Office.

Details of the Sixth Order were advertised in daily newspapers at the end of August. Copies of the Order may be secured from any Employment and Selective Service Office.

If in doubt as to the coverage of this Order, or the procedure under it, ask your nearest Employment and Selective Service Office.

All men, married or single, employed in designated occupations, aged 16 to 40, are now covered by the Orders. To avoid penalties, those who have not yet registered must do so by September 8th, 1943.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOUR

HUMPHREY MITCHELL,
Minister of Labour

A. MacNAMARA,
Director, National Selective Service

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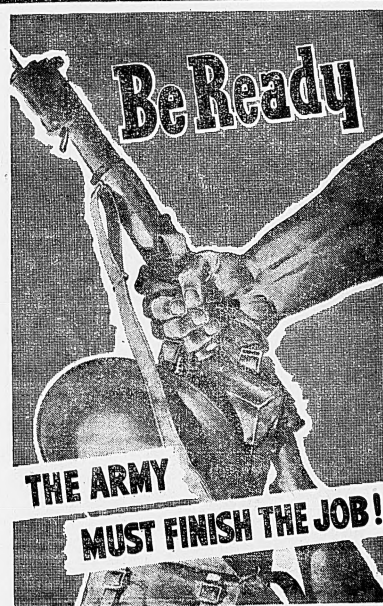
The Willing Horse


The elevator agent's job is buying, storing and shipping grain. He must also keep the elevator and its equipment clean and in good running order. For a large part of the year, this is a full-time task requiring knowledge, skill and experience.

We hear and read a lot about the contributions made by this group and that group to the war effort. Of course, the men in uniform overseas, and their wives and families undertake the greatest, if not the only, real sacrifice. Farmers, we think, are bearing an undue share of the burden. One has only to visit Ottawa to appreciate the strain under which government employees are working. All this is acknowledged in the newspapers and elsewhere; but what writer has taken up his pen on behalf of the country elevator agent?

Most of our readers know that country elevator concerns assist in war loan and Red Cross drives, have organized and carried out a magnificent scrap metal campaign, form an essential link in 1943 farm labour schemes, serve as distributors of pure seed at considerable expense, handle demonstration plots of field crops, offer various services such as germination tests, and so on.

Yes. This and more; but how many realize that the bulk of the burden falls on the shoulders of the elevator agent? As usual, the busy man finds time to help. The very essence of democracy is voluntary effort. These men are democrats.





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The United Nations

THE PHRASE "THE UNITED NATIONS" is now a commonplace one, yet perhaps few who use it realize its full significance. Less than two years ago it had its beginning in a band of nations held together by their belief in the cause of freedom. Since that time the bonds between these countries have tightened, and their pledges have been translated into action which is spelling the doom of the Axis nations. Thirty-two sovereign states now make up the United Nations, and their combined resources have been built into the powerful war machine which is moving to destroy the aggressor nations in all parts of the world. Geography has made it difficult for all the thirty-two nations to maintain close contact, but groups have been formed among neighboring countries, and the whole has been co-ordinated through Great Britain, which serves as a link between the Old World and the New.

All Resources Are Combined

The English speaking peoples have formed one group, in which Britain, the Dominions and the United States have combined their economic resources and their fighting strength. Five boards administer the economic affairs of this group, and the combined boards confer with representatives of Russia, China and the other United Nations. The Lease-Lend principle, originated in the United States, has become the basis of co-operation between the United Nations. Great Britain's reciprocal aid to the United States now equals that given by the United States to Britain, and Russia has benefited greatly under this plan. Geographical difficulties have so far prevented China from receiving greater quantities of supplies in this way, but when these difficulties are removed, powerful assistance will be given to that gallant member of the United Nations.

Striking Force Now Very Great

Additional groups in the United Nations include the Pacific War Council, which sits in London and Washington. Great Britain, the United States, Australia, New Zealand, India, China and the Netherlands are represented on this council, which although not an executive body, makes the wishes of the governments concerned known to the chiefs of staff and the central committees of the United Nations. The countries of the Americas have joined in a Pan-American Union, and since 1941 Canada and the United States have been combining their entire resources for war production and defense. In London, for the past three years the representatives of the governments of the occupied countries have been co-ordinating their efforts with those of the other groups of the United Nations to bring about the defeat of the common enemy. A year ago, a treaty between the United Kingdom and the Soviet Union brought about a truer degree of co-operation and understanding both in the prosecution of the present war, and for the organization of security and economic prosperity in Europe after the war. The results of the combined efforts of all these nations is now apparent in a powerful fighting force which can with confidence take the offensive on all the war fronts.

The Modern Farm In Canada

According to the 1941 census, the percentage of farm homes in each province having electricity, radio, telephone, and automobile, is as follows:

	Electric	Auto-	Lighting	mobile	Radio	Telephone
Prince Edward Island	5.5	30.2	5.3	17.1		
Nova Scotia	26.2	29.6	58.7	25.8		
New Brunswick	18.6	27.3	48.6	16		
Quebec	23.6	16.4	36.4	15.8		
Ontario	37.3	69.6	66.3	50.8		
Manitoba	7.3	46.1	66.8	24.1		
Saskatchewan	4.8	45	71.5	32.2		
Alberta	5.5	46.7	72.9	18.1		
British Columbia	36	55.4	69.3	19.2		

Well Trained

Italian Prisoners of War Make Fun Of Mussolini's Army

The Leeds Yorkshire Post reports that a visitor who recently went to a West Yorkshire farm was struck by the high spirits during the dinner-time break of a small group of Italian prisoners serving as laborers. They seemed to be having a joke at the expense of Mussolini. Two of the prisoners came smartly to attention. "Mussolini's army!" laughed one of the Italians, pointing to the rigid pair. "March!" he shouted, amid much merriment.

Briskly, they both marched several paces—backwards.

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THEY LIKE IT AND DIE

Remember China

Help That We Can Offer Is Sorely Needed By A Stricken China Bombs cannot conquer the Chinese. Time has proved that—the last six years of Japan's cruel war on them. Out of the ruins and rubble of destruction, the life of a new and better China is being born. But the birth is slow and painful, and China's vitality, splendid though it is, needs stimulation and support from the Western world.

In Canada, the Chinese War Relief Fund is organized from Coast to Coast to transmit aid to China. This month it is asking the Canadian public for \$1,000,000 to be used for a vital program of Chinese relief and rebuilding. If Canada's sympathy and admiration for a wonderful fight are transmitted into dollars, the objective will be reached and passed with ease.

Canadians may argue about this and that, and different sections may have different ideas on many subjects, but Canadians are of one mind and heart in tribute to the unbounded courage of sheer physical degeneration of the Chinese people. The very name of China is synonymous with gallantry.

LOST THE PLANS

City Councilman Harold Harby of Los Angeles, drew plans for a device to silence crowing roosters. The instrument kept the rooster from stretching his neck. No stretch, no crow. But the plans have been lost or stolen. Perhaps it's just as well. The inventor admitted that the gadget, if improperly applied, makes a rooster give a fire siren screech.

A five-pound flatiron contains enough iron to make four hand grenades. 2531

WINGS PARADE



LIST OF GRADUATES

The following students graduated under the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan from:

No. 1 Central Navigation School, Rivers, Man., (Air Bombers)—
H. W. Calver, Meadow Lake, Sask.
D. R. Gilling, Ponoka, Alta.
L. E. Gullman, Cranston, Alta.
G. R. Johnson, Glen Ewen, Sask.
C. R. Jones, Pembroke, Alta.
K. Winkowski, Sandhill, Man.
S. E. Smith, Rosetown, Sask.
S. Smith, Warren, Man.
L. H. Silver, Edson, Man.

No. 17 Service Flying Training School, Souris, Man., (Pilots)—
P. K. Hamilton, Kerrobert, Sask.
No. 5 Bombing and Gunnery School, Dafoe, Sask. (Wireless Air Gunners)—
B. Beet, Rosedale, Alta.
F. Duffin, Duck Lake, Sask.
D. T. Edmundson, Watrous, Alta.
S. Weylke, Dauphin, Alta.

No. 5 Air Observer School, Winnipeg, Man., (Air Bombers)—
K. H. Barker, Kildner, Sask.
R. B. Hughes, Yorkton, Sask.
R. L. Parks, Hawarden, Sask.
J. W. Shantz, Waskesville, Alta.

No. 7 Bombing and Gunnery School, Paulson, Man., (Wireless Air Gunners)—
D. E. Bacon, Pelly, Alta.
H. C. McMullen, Ryley, Alta.
P. R. Harvey, Durney, Sask.

No. 41 Service Flying Training School, Weyburn, Sask., (Pilots)—
W. M. Dwyer, Weyburn, Sask.
No. 3 Bombing and Gunnery School, Macdonald, Man., (Air Gunners)—
H. A. Brad, Isbelle, Man.
R. E. Cullen, Edson, Man.

No. 11 Service Flying Training School, Yorkton, Sask., (Pilots)—
D. J. Allan, Bethune, Sask.
L. L. Huston, Medicine Hat, Alta.
D. A. Good, Gull Lake, Sask.
C. G. Macdonald, Yorkton, Sask.
N. Wasielchuk, Atwater, Sask.

SMILE AWHILE

"Did you cancel all my engagements as I told you, Smithers?"
"Yes, sir, but Lady Millicent didn't take it very well. She said you were to marry her next Monday."

Sallor—I see there's a rule against tips here.
Waitress—Bless your heart, apples were forbidden in the Garden of Eden, too.

Snifter—You've got a lot of pep for a man past 100 years old. How do you get that way?
Uncle Eli—I ain't decided yet. I'm dickerin' with two or three companies for my endorsement of their products.

"It is not good for a man to keep too much to himself," states a psychologist. Income tax authorities are said to share this view.

Heard in an elevator:
Man—Did he take his hard luck like a man?
Friend—I'll say he did—he blamed it on his wife.

Proachler's Wife—Where have you been the last three hours?
Wenny Proach—I met Mrs. Blank on the street and asked her how her married daughter was getting along. So she told me.

Customer—My goodness, eggs are high.
Grocer—Sure, part of the war program.
Customer—How?
Grocer—All the hens are making shells.

Magistrate—Is the prisoner a known thief?
Constable—A known thief? Why he'd steal the harness off a night-mare.

Customer (to butcher)—Those sausages you sent me had meat at one end and bread at the other.
Butcher—Yes, ma'am; in these times it's difficult to make both ends meet.

Guard—Ten prisoners have broken out, sir.
Warden—Have you given the alarm?
Guard—I sent for the doctor; I think it's the measles.

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Japanese Brutality

Terrible Stories From Concentration Camps In Hong Kong

A remarkable and terrible story reaches me from Miss Elaine Fairch-Cholmeley, who escaped from a Japanese concentration camp in Hong Kong in March, 1942.

She now writes from Kellin in Free China. She says that since the Japanese captured Hong Kong 18 months ago, over one million unemployed and unskilled Chinese workers have been driven from the former British colony. The majority have been forcibly deported, the rest driven to leave through denial of food ration cards.

Without any resources whatever, thousands of the refugees have starved to death in the barren islands and coastal regions where they have been taken. The bodies of hundreds of Hong Kong ricksha pullers, longshoremen and others lie by the roadsides in Kwangtung province (where famine conditions obtain even for the local population), some close to the sea, others farther inland—as far as they could drag themselves.

Yet these deportees are more fortunate than thousands of women, children and unemployed who have been simply herded on to junks and barges, towed out beyond the entrance to Hong Kong harbor and dumped overboard. Many skilled workers, who refused to work for the Japanese and were unable to escape, have also died in this manner.

Fifteen thousand Chinese are still forced to work in the Hong Kong shipyards. The Japanese pay a Chinese worker just enough to keep him alive, so that he can never save enough to travel to the nearest factory town in the interior, even if he gets away. Escape often means starvation. Yet thousands of ill-fed workers have escaped from Hong Kong and many have reached Free China—London News Statesman.

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Speaks Russian

Sir Archibald Wavell Is Fluent In Language Of Soviet

In view of the part which Russia will play in world affairs in the future, it is perhaps not inopportune to refer to an incident that took place in Moscow recently when Sir Archibald Wavell was one of the guests at an official banquet, states the London Evening Standard. Called upon at the last moment to speak, Sir Archibald proposed the health of Stalin in fluent and flowing Russian. Stalin, apparently unaware that the then C-in-C. India knew the Russian language, showed his pleasure in no uncertain fashion; afterwards he was seen in deep and intimate conversation (in Russian) with the new Viceroy.

The potato is one of the most popular items of food in any service mess.

The bodies of fish are covered with a mucus-like substance which lubricates and facilitates swimming.

CANADA'S NEW TIRE REGULATIONS

ADD MANY NEW CLASSES OF ELIGIBLE TIRE BUYERS - - -

Note: The following table of eligible tire buyers is of necessarily greatly abbreviated nature. Many of the classifications are subject to qualifications and the list is not complete. The Firestone Dealer will gladly advise you to consult the Rubber Controller's Order No. 4 of June 30, 1943, which defines exactly who are eligible buyers.

CLASS A
Eligible for new, retreaded or used tires and retreading services; also for new or used tubes:
Doctors
Vetting Nurses
Veterinarians
Ministers, Priests, Rabbis (serving 2 or more miles apart)
Ambulance
Horse
Fire fighter equipment
Police service
Garbage disposal
Express & Mail Service
Armoured cars
Delivery of newspapers (wholesale)
Prospector
Public utilities

CLASS B
Eligible for used or retreaded tires and retreading services:
War workers
Vehicles registered under War-time Industries
Tramway
Vehicles used to carry mail
Domestic and Provincial Govt. officials
Judges, magistrates, crown attorneys, sheriffs, etc.
Highway engineers
Construction superintendents
Inspectors for fire, accident, grain elevators or boilers
Red Cross employees
Welfare Workers (all time)
Employees of Dom. or Prov. Depts. Agriculture or Forest Service
Employees of agricultural and preserves of essential foods and chick hatcheries

CLASS C
Eligible for used tires and tubes and retreading services:
Commercial travellers
Bona fide life insurance salesmen
Insurance adjusters
Finance company collectors
School store supervisors
Farm implement dealers
Horse-drawn vehicles
Passenger cars owned by a family who also has a truck
Rural outlanders

CANADA'S rubber crisis is still with us. But because of careful conservation and controls there are tires for those cars, trucks, and farm equipment essential to the war effort.

If you fall in this category (the chart at the left will guide you) and your tires cannot be repaired or retreaded, you are considered eligible to buy tires.

Your first move then is to go to your nearest Firestone Dealer. He has the definite official information and necessary forms. He will furnish the required inspection Report and do everything possible to help you obtain a Tire Ration Permit necessary to obtain new or used tires or tubes and retreading service.

And remember—even if you cannot buy new tires—your Firestone Dealer has been trained and equipped to help you get the very last mile out of your present tires—no matter what make they may be. Put the care of your tires in the hands of your Firestone Dealer now—see him today.

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Getting Out The Paper

The War Has Put Mrs. Murphy, Of The Viscount, Back On The Job

How the war has put Mrs. W. T. Murphy, wife of the publisher of The Sun, Viscount, Sask., back to work is one of the human interest stories to come out of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association convention in Toronto.

Mrs. Murphy told how, for 25 years, she had worked with her husband on the paper, even to running the linotype. Four years ago when her two sons, aged 16 and 17, felt that it was time for them to take over (one had interested himself in advertising and in writing and the other had a fair for the mechanics of the paper) they went to their Dad and suggested that he tell Mother it was time for her to stay home. Mrs. Murphy explained that it was quite a problem to tell a worker of 25 years' standing that she wasn't needed and suggested that the boys might like to do the job. With great pride the two boys told their mother how they had now come to that point in their lives where it was no longer necessary for her to work and she could just stay home and enjoy her well-earned rest. With much pride in her sons (and with some reluctance it must be admitted) Mrs. Murphy gave up her job. A year later war was declared and both boys went immediately into the services. They have been overseas now for two years and Mrs. Murphy is busy at work helping to get out the paper. In her spare time she organizes war work sewing groups, specializing in making bedding and children's clothes out of left-overs. Attractive Miss Murphy, who accompanied her parents to the convention, said that people who visited their homes literally hung on to their socks in case Mother would confiscate them for her latest make-over venture, and that the town said she looked the dog on people just so they would get the seat taken out of their pants and donate the remnants to her war work.—Marketing.

"MIDDLE-AGE" WOMEN (38-52)

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WHY HAVE SORE FEET?

JUST RUB IN MINARD'S "KING OF PAIN" LINIMENT

THE HUMAN COMEDY

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CHAPTER VI

The door had opened and closed Tom Spangler was there. He was touching Mr. Grogan. He knew in a minute how things were. He telephoned for the doctor. Then he picked Grogan up in his arms and put him on the office couch.

Spangler sat still, on an island of terrible grief. The telegram was crushed in his hand.

Spangler put his arm around Homer and took him out. Going along the street, anywhere, nowhere, Homer's feet dragged heavily. He held up the telegram. "I can't take this home . . . now. I can't tell Ma and Bess and Mary yet. How am I going to go into the house and look at them? They'll know the minute they see me. I don't want to tell them but they'll know."

"Let's walk awhile," Spangler said. They kept on, towards the court-house, through the park. "He said he might go in his letter," Homer said dully. "He said he was ready." Then he broke out fiercely, "I can't figure it all out. All I want to know is what about my brother? Nothing like this has ever happened to me before. When my father died it was supposed to be a good life. A good life the way he wanted to. He had a family. We were sad but we weren't sore. To see . . . What's a fellow supposed to do?"

Spangler tried to find the words that would say the right thing. He fought with himself to find those words. "I'm not going to try to comfort you Homer. I know I couldn't. Your brother didn't want to go. He wanted to where will stay in the love you have for him." Homer's body shook with a frustrated fury. How could the world do this to him? What was good about it? "But I want to see Marcus. I can't help it. I want to see him walking around. I want to touch him. I want to talk to him. I even want to have fights with him the way we used to. Where will I find him? If I look everywhere I won't find him. The world is different now. People are different. Everything in life has changed because my brother won't be here again."

Spangler again searched for those right words. "Try to remember Homer that the best of him will never die. You will see him many times in the things that come to you every day. In your home, in the streets, places where he has been, in the things that are around where he worked, in the river he knew and the clouds that float over it. The greater part of a good man stays. It stays forever." He pointed to the green. "Any good at pitching horseshoes?"

Out of his bleak heart Homer replied, "No sir, not very." "Neither am I. Would you care to pitch a game with me before it's too dark?"

"Yes sir." The game began. Homer knew that his hand was picking up the horseshoes, flinging them to their mark. His whole body hurt as if somebody had beaten him up. But he kept on for a while. Then he stepped back. "Mr. Spangler I don't feel like pitching any more. They're waiting for me at home now. I know they are. I said I'd be home for supper."

Spangler's eyes pleaded with him. "Wait Homer. Don't go home yet. Wait a while." Homer gazed past him. "You needn't be afraid. I remember—I told Mr. Grogan that if my brother was killed I'd spit at the world. I'd be the worst that ever lived." A flush of shame stained his face. "Huh. A fellow talks that way but I guess you never know what you'll do until it really happens. His shoulders sagged a little. "Maybe I'll get it straight somehow after a while." He sank on to one of the benches.

Marcus that died, to die in you too the part that is only flesh and the part that comes and goes. That dying is hurting you now but that will be a little while. When it leaves you will find new strength."

Homer was sitting up straighter now. Courage and faith were flowing back into his veins.

"This strength will bring you closer than ever to the best that is in all men. You remember what he said. 'You must go on . . . you are what we are fighting the war for.' Yes Homer, you are what we have left behind, to live the hopes that we have only dreamed, the matches dreams of what man can be."

Now Matthew saw someone else, a lone soldier who had been wandering around the town. The soldier was talking to himself.

"Yes, this is Ithaca with the Ithaca sky over it. There's the Public Library—the Presbyterian church. There's Ithaca High—and that's the Athletic Field. There's the Court-house Park . . ." He had reached the Macaulay house. Through the windows he could hear the mingled harmony of a harp and piano. "And here's the house . . . here's home. Ma and Bess and Ulysses. I am home at last."

All of this was his inheritance from Marcus. His friend had left him his birthright, his place in the world. He would be worthy of it. He turned as a boy came walking up the path. It was Homer. He looked at the soldier curiously. Then he hesitated. For a moment, I thought I knew you. It was Ithaca your home?"

"Yes, I mean, I hope it is." "Then you don't have to go back?" The soldier looked at his injured leg. "They've sent me home for good. I just got off the train."

"Well, your family must be waiting for you." The soldier didn't answer. To his own surprise Homer said, "Won't you come in? I live here. Something had made him say it, some voice."

Now the soldier's face lighted up. "Then . . . yes, Homer. I've been looking for you."

"How did you know my name? Who are you?" The soldier's smile was sweet and wide. "I don't know who I am because I'm an orphan. But I know who you are. And your mother and Bess and your brother Ulysses. You see, Marcus was my friend." He reached into his pocket. "He gave you this Homer. His class ring. He always said — if anything happened to him he wanted you to have it."

Homer slipped the ring on his finger. "Then you're Toby. You must be."

Marcus' friend, Homer and Toby smiled at each other with the tender pain of remembrance. Then Homer put out his hand and Toby took it. Comradeship and brotherhood flowed from one to the other like the stream. "Then you're Toby. You must be."

into shreds. His chin was up, his eyes bright with tears. "We'll go in together." He called. "Ma, Bess, Ulysses. Open the door. The soldier's come home."

The family came to the door but the music seemed to continue on and to swell. The kindly lamp light illumined them all. It was as if they knew about Marcus already and were welcoming the stranger in his place. They all went in.

Outside, in a radiant Heavenly light, were the spirits of Matthew the father and Marcus the son. Together they passed through the door to join the others. Now the family was complete again.

To music in the Macaulay home rose exultantly. To any who heard it was a song of human love.

THE END.

Might Be Good Thing

Absence of Christmas Tree May Make Day More Real

A statement issued recently from a government department at Ottawa says that owing to shortage of labor and transport, no Christmas trees will be cut this year.

That will cause a lot of dismay throughout the land.

Appropos this matter, note what verses three and four, chapter 10, of Jeremiah, say:

"For the customs of the people are vain: for one cutteth a tree out of the forest, the work of the hands of the workman, with the axe."

"They deck it with silver and with gold; they fasten it with nails and hammers that it move not."

Jeremiah was the greatest of the Hebrew prophets, and as he is traditionally believed to have been the author of Lamentations he is spoken of as a gloomy man. Christmas trees were not known in Bible times, so Jeremiah was neither prophesying about them, lamenting over them, he was speaking of trees being cut down and fashioned into idols.

But there is a link in thought between these verses and the decree from Ottawa.

At Christmattime many people think far more about their Christmas tree than they do about Christ. Old and young, they give themselves up more excitedly to the choice, erection and decoration of the tree, and subsequently to the contemplation of the gifts surrounding it, than to any other feature of the Christmas season. Literally it becomes an object of worship. It is made the fulcrum of the Christmas celebration.

If there are no Christmas trees next December, their absence may remind many people of something they habitually neglect giving a thought to.—St. Thomas Times-Journal.

Look out for Trouble from Sluggish KIDNEYS

Try the Original "Dutch Drops"

It is a poisonous waste that your kidneys should be filtering out of your blood that may cause backache, dizzy spells, leg cramps, restless, sleep-broken nights, and smarting and burning. For relief use the remedy that has won the grateful thanks of thousands for many years—GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. This effective diuretic and kidney stimulant is the original and genuine Dutch Drops in carefully measured amounts in tasteful Capsules. It is one of the most favorably known remedies for relieving congested kidneys and irritated bladder. It works swiftly, helping the delicate filter of your kidneys to purify the blood. Be sure you get the original and genuine—packed in Canada. Insist on getting the GOLD MEDAL Haarlem Oil Capsules. 40c at your druggists.

Egg Money For Savings



Egg money, the odd bushel or two of surplus seed grain, and part of the proceeds from the sale of a calf from the farm of Mrs. James Entwistle, of Parkman, Sask., are helping to win the war. Mrs. "Jim" earmarks such sums for her regular purchases of Victory Bonds, which bear up the various members of the family who are serving Canada in uniform. Her son and daughter joined the R.C.A.F. last year, and she has three nephews in the air force as well.

Meanwhile, Mrs. Entwistle and her husband, who is a veteran of the last war, are producing food needed for the war effort on the farm settled by his father, who was a sergeant in the Lancashire Fusiliers



We should have at least one fresh, raw vegetable each day. Salads are the answer.

In a salad you can serve an endless variety of the fruits and vegetables which are so rich in minerals and vitamins. Because you can use almost any kind of food or combination of foods, in salads, they may solve the problem of using left-overs.

If you include generous proportions of meat, fish, poultry, cheese or egg in your salad, you may serve it as a main dish. Salads consisting mainly of fruits and vegetables may be served as an accompaniment to a meal or in the case of fruit salads as a dessert.

If you follow the simple rules advocated by the Women's Institute Branch, you will have an appetizing salad.

- (1) Use clean, crisp, tender greens.
- (2) Keep all salad materials dry and well chilled.
- (3) Cut the ingredients in attractive shapes and suitable sizes.
- (4) Use foods to make good flavour and colour combinations.
- (5) Add sufficient dressing to season well but not enough to make the salad watery.
- (6) Add the dressing just before serving.
- (7) Use strong flavour, such as onion, sparingly.
- (8) Make an attractive arrangement, avoid a flat effect.
- (9) Select a suitable garnish, preferably one that may be eaten.

When combining the ingredients use a spoon or fork and toss them together lightly with the dressing. Almost any proportion of ingredients may be used.

To serve with your salad you may choose one of several things. Hot cheese biscuits, hard rolls, crisp crackers, toast fingers, melba toast or cheese straws. You could spread crackers with butter and brown in the oven or add grated cheese. Toast fingers are made by cutting stale bread in slices ¼" thick, spread the slices with butter and then cut into ¼" wide strips. Bake in hot oven until browned.

Write to the Western Division Health League of Canada, 111 Avenue Road, Toronto, Ontario for "Salads that are Different."

SELECTED RECIPES

BAKED MACARONI SURPRISE

- 2 cups brown uncooked macaroni
- 1½ cups cooked tomatoes
- ½ small green pepper, chopped
- 2 tablespoons chopped parsley
- 1 small or ½ medium onion
- 2 (chopped)
- 2 teaspoons salt
- 1 teaspoon pepper
- 3 cups ground uncooked meat
- 2 tablespoons fat

Cook macaroni in a generous amount of boiling salted water until tender. Drain and add salt to taste. Combine cooked macaroni, tomatoes, chopped green pepper and parsley, onion, salt and pepper. Turn into well-greased 1½-quart casserole. Shape meat into tiny rounds and fry quickly in hot fat until evenly browned. Bake in macaroni mixture and bake in a slow oven (300-325 degrees F.) until meat is thoroughly cooked and the mixture is full-flavoured (1 to 1½ hours). Serves 8.

BAKED CUP-OSTARDS

- 2 eggs
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- ½ cup Bee Hive Golden corn syrup
- 1½ cups hot milk
- ¼ teaspoon vanilla

Beat eggs (or 4 egg-yolks) slightly with the salt. Add corn syrup. Stir in hot milk and add vanilla. Strain into moistened custard cups and if desired, sprinkle with a little grated nutmeg. Set in a pan of hot water and bake in rather slow oven, 325 degrees F., about 35 minutes or until set so that a knife inserted in the centre comes out clean. Chill and if desired, unmoil for serving.

IN COMPARISON

A Canadian from the shores of the mighty St. Lawrence had been visiting relatives in Chiswick. Among other wonders of the neighborhood, they showed him the Thames, hoping to impress him.

"Where shall we go today?" inquired his uncle of the Canadian one afternoon, as they prepared to go out for a stroll.

"I know," he answered, brightly. "Let's go round by the brook!"

The crocodile has the most highly developed circulatory system among reptiles.

CHURCHILL'S WARNING

We must beware, says Winston Churchill, of trying to build a society in which nobody counts for anything except the politicians and the officials, a society where enterprise gains no reward and thrift no privilege. . . . Of all the races in the world our people would be the last to consent to be governed by a bureaucracy. Freedom is in their blood.

YOU NEED BOTH



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TOBACCO STORES—ALSO RESTAURANTS
BANKS AND POST OFFICES

The weather during the past week has been showery throughout the district and has delayed harvesting operations somewhat. It has also helped the growth of weeds which is very bad in some crops this year.

Some farmers are using the header and barge system, while others are straight combining although this is not proving so satisfactory as in previous years, owing to the excessive weed growth and moisture in the grain. Mr. Otto Peterson of the Rearville district has finished combining a field which made 15 bushels to the acre.

The rains have been beneficial to the gardens, potatoes and vegetables should be plentiful.

Mrs. Zawasky, and daughters Betty, Jean and Audrey returned from Saskatoon Sunday, where they visited with friends.

Shirley Butts of Hanna is visiting with Chinook friends.

Mr. Lorne Proudfoot is an Edmonton visitor this week.

Mrs. Thos. Gilbertson left Tuesday night for Calgary where she will spend the week.

—Mrs. W. Wilson is an Alex visitor this week.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—30 Head of
HEREFORD CALVES

Apply to M. Bjork
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86,100 Ration Books
Have Been Issued

There is a steady stream of applicants for the No. 3 ration calling at the ration Board office in the city hall, and 605 books were issued Monday and Tuesday. This makes a total of approximately 86,100 books issued in the city to date.

Wartime Prices & Trade Board

Edmonton ... Volunteers handling distribution of Ration book 3 have struck a high mark in efficiency, "states C. G. McKee, regional superintendent of rationing, Wartime Prices and Trade Board. "After two days about 50 per cent of the new ration books were in the hands of the public, Local Ration Boards deserve the very highest praise for their splendid work in organizing distributing centres and enlisting volunteers to record new books and attend to the routine of distribution" he said.

Hair Cut Costs Barber High Fine

Edmonton ... Increasing the price of haircuts, although he was informed that this constituted an offence under Wartime Prices and Trade Board regulations, cost Richard White, of Whitehouse, Y. T., a fine of \$400.00 and costs, or two months in the guard house.

Jack Wong, Parkland, Alberta, who accepted ration books prior to their valid dates was fined a total of \$33.85, or in default 1 month in Lethbridge Jail.

Mrs. Tomiyo Ueyehara, Edmonton was fined \$10.00 for increasing the price of a haircut, contrary to Prices Board regulations.

Jams and Honey Will Be Rationed
Ottawa ... No more frenzied "jam sessions" in the retail stores. The recent order of the Wartime Prices and Trade Board freezing stocks of honey, jams, jellies, and marmalade is preparatory to rationing these commodities commencing September 2nd. Details will be announced shortly, officials state.

Ottawa, September 1st, 1943.



EFFECTIVE SEPTEMBER 2nd PRESERVES and SWEET SPREADS ARE RATIONED BY COUPON

The products affected include: Jams, Jellies, Marmalades, Extracted Honey, Comb Honey in Squares, Honey Butter, Maple Syrup, Maple Butter, Maple Sugar, Molasses, Corn Syrup, Cane Syrup, or any blended Table Syrup, Apple Butter or Canned Fruit.

On and after Thursday, September 2nd, 1943, it is unlawful for a consumer to purchase any of the above-listed products, except on the surrender of a valid ration coupon.

Coupons "D" in Ration Book 3 are to be used for this purpose. Coupon "D-1" becomes good September 2nd. Starting September 16th, two coupons become good every four weeks.

These products are being rationed so that there will be an equal sharing of the available supplies. Persons who do not use the coupons for these products may use them to acquire more sugar in addition to their regular sugar ration and canning sugar allowance.

ONE "D" COUPON IS GOOD FOR Not More Than

Jams, Jellies, Marmalades, Extracted Honey, Apple Butter, Maple Butter or Honey Butter	6 FLUID OZS.
or	
Maple Sugar or Comb Honey (in Squares)	1/2 LB. NET
or	
Molasses or Maple Syrup	10 FLUID OZS.
or	
Corn Syrup, Cane Syrup, or any blended Table Syrup	12 FLUID OZS.
or	
Canned Fruit	10 FLUID OZS.
or	
Sugar	1/2 LB. NET

When purchasing goods in containers, it will not always be possible for the consumer to get the exact coupon value.

EXAMPLE: If you are buying jam in containers—

One "D" Coupon is good for	one 4, 5 or 6 oz. container or two 3 oz. containers.
Two "D" Coupons are good for	one 7, 8, 9, 10, 11 or 12 oz. container, or two 5 oz. or two 6 oz. containers, or three 4 oz. containers.

or any combination adding up to not more than the total value of the coupons permitted.

SUPPLIERS—Separate instructions which are similar to the regulations of applying on sugar rationing are available from any branch of the Ration Administration, for quota users, industrial users and suppliers.

RATION ADMINISTRATION

THE WARTIME PRICES AND TRADE BOARD

WARNING

COAL WILL BE SCARCE NEXT WINTER !!!

Prepare your home now for adequate warmth with smaller fuel consumption

TO SAVE COAL CHECK THESE POINTS



✓ HOW TO GET MORE HEAT

Pipes and furnaces must be clean, and grates in good order. If one or two rooms are hard to heat, you are wasting fuel. A minor adjustment can probably remedy this. Have a competent man check your heating system, and make necessary repairs. Insulate your furnace and pipes where necessary.



✓ HOW TO AVOID HEAT LOSSES

Storm windows and doors must fit snugly and be weatherstripped. Lack of storm windows can cause as much as 20% heat loss. Caulking should be done around windows, doors and in cracks in brick work (some hardware stores have caulking guns for rent). Broken glass should be replaced, and loose panes puttied. Small expenditures on such work will save much fuel.



✓ HOW TO SAVE STILL MORE

You can save fuel and money by having your home properly insulated. It is a proven fact that in many homes lack of adequate insulation (including storm windows) results in unnecessary consumption of fuel—up to as much as 50%. Watch for later instructions on how to fire your furnace properly.

HAVE YOUR HOME INSPECTED FOR HEATING AND INSULATION DEFECTS

Get advice now! Skilled workmen and supplies are scarce. If you delay in getting your home ready for winter you may not be able to get the services you need.

Save one ton in five

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